8th Grade ELA 1st 9-Week Pacing Guide

Reading Literature Reading: Informational

Week 1

RL.8.1 – Cite textual evidence in literary texts

RI.8.1 – Cite textual evidence in informative texts

Week 2

RL.8.2 – Determine theme or central idea of a literary text; summarize RI.8.2 – Determine the central idea of a text & analyze its development; summarize

Week 3

RL.8.4 - Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a literary text

RI.8.4 – Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in an informational text

Week 4

RL.8.3 – Analyze how lines of dialogue propel the story, provoke a decision, etc.

RI.8.3 – Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events

Week 5

RI.8.8 – Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text; assess evidence

Week 6

RL.8.7 – Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script

RI.7.7 - Compare/contrast written text to a multimedia version of an informational text

Week 7

RL.8.5 – Compare/contrast the structure of two or more texts RI.7.5 - Analyze the structure an author uses to organize text

Week 8

Spiral review and practice

Week 9

BMA 1

Language

Week 1

L.8.4a – Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word of phrase

L.8.6 – Use academic and domain-specific vocabulary appropriately

L.8.2c - Spell correctly

Week 2

L.8.4b – Use common Greek & Latin roots as a clue to word meaning

L.8.2a – Use punctuation to indicate a break

Week 3

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L.8.2a – Use punctuation to indicate a break

Week 4

L.8.4c – Consult reference materials to find pronunciation, meaning, and/or parts of speech L.8.4d – Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase

L.8.1c - Form and use verbs

Week 5

L.8.5a – Interpret figures of speech in context L.8.2a – Use punctuation to indicate a break

Week 6

L.8.5b – Use the relationships between words to better understand each of the words
L.8.1d – Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb voice and mood.

Week 7

L.8.5c – Distinguish among connotations of words with similar denotations

Week 8

Spiral review and practice

Week 9

BMA 1

Writing**

Week 1 - Week 4: Narrative

W.8.3a – Engage and orient the reader by establishing context and POV; organize an event sequence

W.8.3b – Use narrative techniques to develop experiences

W.8.3c – Use a variety of transition words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence and signal shifts in time

W.8.3d – Use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to convey experiences and events

W.8.3e – Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated events

Week 5 - Week 8: Informative

W.8.2a – Introduce a topic clearly; use strategies to organize ideas

W.8.2b – Develop the topic with relevant facts and details

W.8.2c – Use appropriate transitions to create cohesion and clarify relationships

W.8.2d – Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain

W.8.2e – Establish and maintain a formal style

W.8.2f – Provide a concluding statement

Week 9

BMA 1

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^{**}Extended writing pieces to incorporate practice on weekly language skills.

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8th Grade ELA 2nd 9-Week Pacing Guide

Reading Literature Reading: Informational

Week 10

RL.8.2 – Determine theme or central idea of a literary text; summarize

RI.8.2 – Determine the central idea of a text & analyze its development; summarize

RI.8.8 – Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text; assess evidence

Week 11

RL.8.6 - Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader (e.g., created through the use of dramatic irony) create such effects as suspense or humor.

RI.8.6 - Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints.

Week 14

RL.8.3 – Analyze how lines of dialogue propel the story, provoke a decision, etc.

RI.8.3 – Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events

Week 13

RL.8.5 – Compare/contrast the structure of two or more texts

RI.7.5 - Analyze the structure an author uses to organize text

Week 14

RL.8.4 - Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a literary text RI.8.4 – Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in an informational text

Week 15

RL.8.7 – Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script RI.7.7 - Compare/contrast written text to a multimedia version of an informational text

Week 16

RL.8.9 - Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from myths, traditional stories, or religious works

RI.8.9 - Analyze a case in which two or more texts provide conflicting information on the same topic and identify where the texts disagree on matters of fact or interpretation.

Week 17

Spiral review and practice

Week 18

BMA 2

Language

Week 10

L.8.4a – Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word of phrase

L.8.6 – Use academic and domain-specific vocabulary appropriately

L.8.2c – Spell correctly

L.8.1a – Explain the function of verbals

Week 11

L.8.1a – Explain the function of verbals

Week 12

L.8.1b – Form and use verbs in the active and passive voice

Week 13

L.8.1b – Form and use verbs in the active and passive voice

Week 14

L.8.3a - Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctivemood to achieve particular effects

Week 15

L.8.3a - Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctive

mood to achieve particular effects (e.g., emphasizing the actor or the action; expressing uncertainty or describing a state contrary

to fact)

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to fact)

Week 8

Spiral review and practice

Week 18

BMA 2

Writing**

Week 11 - Week 13: Argument

W.8.1a - Introduce claim(s), acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically.

W.8.1b - Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text.

W.8.1c - Use words, phrases, and clauses, to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.

W.8.1d - Establish and maintain a formal style.

W.8.1e - Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.

Week 14 - Week 17: Narrative

W.8.3a – Engage and orient the reader by establishing context and POV; organize an event sequence

W.8.3b – Use narrative techniques to develop experiences

W.8.3c – Use a variety of transition words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence and signal shifts in time

W.8.3d – Use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to convey experiences and events

W.8.3e – Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated events

Week 18

BMA 2

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8th Grade ELA 3rd 9-Week Pacing Guide

Reading Literature Reading: Informational

Week 19

RL.8.2 – Determine theme or central idea of a literary text; summarize

RI.8.2 – Determine the central idea of a text & analyze its development; summarize

Week 20

RL.8.5 – Compare/contrast the structure of two or more texts

RI.8.5 - Analyze the structure an author uses to organize text

Week 21

RL.8.7 – Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script Rl.7.7 - Compare/contrast written text to a multimedia version of an informational text

Week 22

RL.8.9 - Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from myths, traditional stories, or religious works

RI.8.9 - Analyze a case in which two or more texts provide conflicting information on the same topic and identify where the texts disagree on matters of fact or interpretation.

Week 23

RL.8.4 - Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a literary text

RI.8.4 — Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in an informational text

RI.8.8 – Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text; assess evidence

Week 24

RL.8.3 – Analyze how lines of dialogue propel the story, provoke a decision, etc. Rl.8.3 – Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events

Week 25

RL.8.6 - Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader (e.g., created through the use of dramatic irony) create such effects as suspense or humor.
Rl.8.6 - Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints.

Week 26

Spiral review and practice

<u>Week 27</u>

BMA 3

Language

Week 19

L.8.4a – Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word of phrase

L.8.6 – Use academic and domain-specific vocabulary appropriately

L.8.2c - Spell correctly

L.8.2b – Use an ellipsis to indicate an omission

Week 20

L.8.1-6 Practice and reinforce previously taught skills as appropriate via daily writing assignments. Reteach based on formative assessment

Week 21

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Week 25

L.8.1-6 Practice and reinforce previously taught skills as appropriate via daily writing assignments. Reteach based on formative assessment

Week 26

Spiral review and practice

Week 27

BMA 3

Writing**

Week 19 - Week 22: Informative

W.8.2a – Introduce a topic clearly; use strategies to organize ideas

W.8.2b – Develop the topic with relevant facts and details

W.8.2c – Use appropriate transitions to create cohesion and clarify relationships

W.8.2d – Use precise language and domainspecific vocabulary to inform about or explain

W.8.2e - Establish and maintain a formal style

W.8.2f – Provide a concluding statement

Week 23 - Week 26: Argument

W.8.1a - Introduce claim(s), acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically.

W.8.1b - Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text.

W.8.1c - Use words, phrases, and clauses, to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.

W.8.1d - Establish and maintain a formal style.

 $\label{eq:w.8.1e} \textbf{W.8.1e} - \textbf{Provide a concluding statement or} \\ \textbf{section that follows from and supports the} \\ \textbf{argument presented}.$

Week 26

Spiral review and practice

Week 27

BMA 3

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8th Grade ELA 4th 9-Week Pacing Guide

Reading Literature Reading: Informational

Week 28

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 29

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 30

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 31

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 32

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 33

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 34

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Continue until MAP Assessment.

Language

Week 28

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 29

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 30

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 31

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 32

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 33

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint.

Week 34

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint. Continue until MAP Assessment.

Writing**

Week 1 - Week 4

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint. Writing tasks used will accompany the reading tasks used to practice RL & RI priority standards.

Week 5 - Week 8

Review and practice of priority skills using practice tasks aligned to the MAP test blueprint. Writing tasks used will accompany the reading tasks used to practice RL & RI priority standards.

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